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A TROPICAL LAND

Missionary David P. Kimball
Writes an Interesting Letter of His Travels

In Australia one may find all kinds of climate, from Victoria and Tasmania, in the south, where snow falls, to Queensland, in the north, a tropical land.

My companion and I have just returned from an extended trip to northern Australia, or the land of the tropics. While there we had the privilege of seeing some of the wilds of Australia. From Brisbane, the capital and largest city of Queensland, located on the Brisbane river and about 750 miles from Sydney, the place of landing, we took the train to Rockhampton, 400 miles up the coast, a city known to the world as the "Three S's," sin, sorrow and sweat (and it is rightly named). It has a population of about 25,000, and is the main seaport town of central Queensland.

Our work called us to a stay of two months in this city. While there we visited the "Fitzroy" meat works, one of the largest establishments of its kind in Australia. It is an English concern, but the man at the head is an American, and thru his courtesy we were taken thru the works by a guide. Beginning at the stock yards, we followed the process of killing and preserving the meat, until it was boxed or frozen ready to be loaded on the boat.

We met great opposition in our work, but being given the same opportunity as our opponents thru the daily paper, we were successful in making our claims. The outcome was we made hundreds of friends. Leaving Rockhampton we made our way thru the country to Mt. Morgan.

Our way to Mount Morgan was not by rail, but thru the country; by going this way we would get a view of and see real bush life. Our way was thru some of the greatest grazing country of Australia.

In the early days of Queensland the government gave large tracts of land to men to encourage the settlement of the country. These grants are called "stations" and they include many square miles. Each station is a little village to itself, generally the home of the owner, or foreman, and several log buildings occupied by the employees and their families. Everything is complete. The station has a gardener that does nothing but work in the garden, so that vegetables of all kind can be had fresh from the garden. A small store and pub (or saloon), and a school for the children. The herders, fence riders and all station hands are home for the night, and to see them come in and unsaddle, reminds one of a cattle ranch at home.

We managed to make these stations each night. Two days out from Rockhampton, we stopped for the night at the Jones estate, it being one of the largest in that vicinity. It is 16 miles square and they have 25,000 head of sheep and some cattle. While in this place we had the privilege of going out to see the flocks. The grass was waist high and it was a grand sight to see the sheep feeding (most of them being of a very good breed). Our guide was very pleasant and told us all about the way they did things at the station. He told us it cost but very little for herders, as the place was fenced with net wire. A fence rider and a few shepherds were their regular working force.

The shearing is contracted by the company and the busy time for the herder is lambing time.

The day thru the station was very educational to us, as well as a pleasant day's outing. The evening was spent in listening to the stories of the early days, how the blacks would steal and plunder from the new settlers and the cannibals that at times made raids on the little villages. The people were very hospitable and did everything to make our stay pleasant. Leaving the little town we traveled all day within the fence of the station. The scenery along the way was beautiful. We were a week in the bush and it was one of the most interesting weeks of my life. We finally reached Mount Morgan, one of the great mining towns of Australia.

Mount Morgan resembles one of our western mining towns. It is located about 40 miles inland from Rockhampton and is connected with that city by rail. As we entered the valley leading to the town, we passed through several camps, located on the small river, panning for gold. They make pretty good money at this and I understand a few have made their fortune.

The history of this camp and its development is famous throughout the world. More free gold has been

found there than any other place in the world. In 22 years this mine has netted its stockholders £14,000,000. During the last few years they struck a very rich body of copper ore.

We were unexpectedly called back to Brisbane, so did not go thru the mine and smelters. On our way back we made several stops. At Gladstone, the oldest settlement in Queensland, we stopped several days working the city. Here is also located a large meat works and it is also a shipping center. The largest harbor in the state is here and it is a beautiful place. The history of the settlement of Gladstone is a parallel to that of the settlement of Virginia.

Our next stop was Bundaberg, located in the great cane-growing region. The season was just opening and we took a ride with a friend thru the canefields. It was a grand sight to see hundreds of acres and men at work cutting the cane and hauling it away to the mill. Most of the cutting is contracted, the owner paying so much a ton, so the most skilled and the one that puts in the longest hours, is the one that makes the biggest wage. I was told that a good worker would make from 15 shillings to a pound a day. One may see hundreds of natives camped around close to the fields. They are not very good workers and are mostly hired when there is a shortage in labor.

From the fields we went to one of the mills (Milliquin). Calling at the office, one of the experts volunteered to take us thru the works. He told us that this mill worked about 400 men. They put thru 600 tons of cane every 24 hours and canned 50 tons of syrup a week.

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We then visited the syrup department and it seemed to me they were putting up enough syrup to feed the world. Most of the day was spent in following the process of sugar making and it was very interesting and valuable to us.

From Bundaberg to Brisbane we passed thru the great fruit belt. Pineapple farms, great orange orchards, and all kinds of tropical fruits. It was a beautiful country and the ride was very pleasant.

DAVID P. KIMBALL.

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TAKEN OVER

In an Ohio town the African Methodist Episcopal Church of that district held a conference, and for a week the town was filled with colored pulpits orators. A few days after the conference closed its sessions, one of the leading colored women of the town drove out to Pea Ridge to purchase chickens of an old mammy who had supplied the family for years. Aunt Hanna, coming to the gate, said: "I'm sorry, Miss Allie. I ain't got a chicken left. Dey all done enter de ministry."

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1913 IN BRIEF

Chief Events of the Past Twelve Months.

SHORT DAILY RECORD.

History of the World Told In Paragraphs.

THE YEAR'S OBITUARY ROLL.

Political Affairs, Sporting, Personal and Miscellaneous Items—Loss of Life and Property by Accidents, Shipwrecks, Storms and Conflagrations. A Chronological Review.

OCTOBER.

1. Panama Canal. Water was let into Culebra cut.
2. Political. United States senate passed the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill, 82 to 17.
3. Political. The Underwood-Simmons tariff act became law.
4. Panama Canal. Alarming earthquake shocks in the Panama canal zone.
5. Storm. Coast storm destroyed 500 houses at Nome, Alaska, loss \$1,500,000.
6. China. Provisional President Yuan Shih Kai elected president of the Chinese republic.
7. Sporting. In the opening game of the world's baseball series Philadelphia Athletics (American league) defeated the New York Giants (National league) 6 to 4 at New York.
8. Convention. General convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of America opened in New York.
9. Ocean Disaster. Ocean steamer Volturno, Crumline line, from Rotterdam, Holland, to New York, bumped in mid-ocean; deaths 13; over 500 persons rescued by ships summoned by wireless.
10. China. Yuan Shih Kai inaugurated first president of China.
11. Mexico. Provisional President Huerta of Mexico arrested the chamber of deputies and assumed the powers of dictator, dissolving congress.
12. Obituary. Stanley Waterloo, Journalist, in Chicago; aged 67.
13. Sporting. The world's baseball series between the American and National leagues won by Philadelphia Athletics, American league, in New York, score 3 to 1 (6th game).
14. Aeronautics. 18 balloons, including the Uncle Sam and the Goddard from the United States, started from Paris in a race for the Gordon Bennett cup; 8 countries represented.
15. Obituary. Timothy L. Woodruff, noted Republican leader, in New York; aged 65.
16. Convention. American prison congress opened at Indianapolis.
17. Panama Canal. The first vessels lifted into the Pacific entrance of the canal. Aeronautics. The American balloon Goddard landed at Bridlington, England, winning the Gordon Bennett cup; distance traveled from the starting point (Paris) 550 miles; time 44 hours.
18. Memorial. Monument to Gen. Braddock erected on the battlefield of his defeat in 1756, near Uniontown, Pa.
19. Mexico. Foreign envoys in Mexico asked their governments to send warships to guard the legations.
20. Political. Governor William Sulzer committed on 3 the articles of impeachment against him.
21. Political. Governor Sulzer removed from office by the court of impeachment.
22. Airship Disaster. A Zeppelin dirigible balloon exploded when 3,000 feet in the air at Johannisthal, Prussia, killing 23 passengers, including 5 members of the admiralty commission.
23. Personal. Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, English militant suffragist, arrived at New York.
24. Aviation. Roland Garros, French aviator, made a nonstop flight of 52 miles, from Marseilles to Paris.
25. Sporting. Pennsylvania university football team defeated Brown university in the annual game at Philadelphia, score 28 to 6. Miss Gladys Havenscroft of England won the women's golf championship of the United States at Wilmington, Del.
26. Battle. Centenary. Germans celebrated the battle of Leipzig which resulted in the disastrous defeat of Napoleon Bonaparte in 1813, dedicating on the battlefield a monument said to be the finest in Europe.
27. Railroad Accident. In a wreck on the Mobile and Ohio railroad at Buckatunga, Miss., 46 soldiers of the coast artillery were killed and 100 injured.
28. Fire. Fire at the railroad terminals, East St. Louis, caused a loss of \$1,000,000.
29. Sporting. Pat Ryan made a new world's record by throwing a 13 pound hammer 232 feet 4 inches in New York, displacing 207 feet 7 inches made by John Flanagan, 1910.
30. Mining Disaster. 283 miners killed by explosion in the Stag Canyon mines, New Mexico.
31. Anniversary. 100th anniversary of the discovery of the Pacific ocean by Balboa celebrated at San Francisco.
32. Storm. 32 deaths and extensive damage caused by a storm which swept Louisiana.
33. Convention. Triennial convention of the World's W. C. T. U. met in Brooklyn.
34. Sporting. Dartmouth college football team defeated Princeton university, 4 to 0, at Princeton. Carlisle Indians tied with Pennsylvania in football at Philadelphia; score 7 to 7.
35. Mexico. Mexican rebels (Constitutionalists) captured Monterey after a 9 days battle.
36. Personal. Katherine Elkins, once betrothed to the Duke of the Abruzzi, the explorer, married to W. T. R. Hitt.
37. Mexico. Gen. Felix Diaz political rival of Gen. Huerta, given refuge on a United States warship at Vera Cruz.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Methodist Minister Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Rev. James A. Lewis, Milaca, Minn., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been a needed and welcome guest in our home for a number of years. I highly recommend it to my fellows as being a medicine worthy of trial in cases of colds, coughs and croup." Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a trial and we are confident you will find it very effectual and continue to use it as occasion requires for years to come, as many others have done. For sale by all dealers. adv-51-4t

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ST. JOSEPH STAKE NEWS

Home Mission Appointments for February

Artesia—Elastus S. Carpenter and L. R. Pace.
Lebanon—Nephi L. Smith and T. S. Kimball.
Layton—Geo. J. Hatch and B. F. Stewart.
Thatcher—Andrew C. Peterson and Guy V. Lamoreaux.
Central—Austin Evans and Wm. B. Wecker.
Pima—John Billy and Martin Mortensen.
Fairview—George H. Crosby, Jr., and Martin Mortensen.
Emery—George A. Foote and Martin R. Kempton.
Eden—Oscar G. Layton and Marius Mickelsen.
Bryce—Joseph H. Lines and Archie Cluff.
Hubbard—J. T. Brown and LeRoy C. Snow.
Graham—James T. Talley and S. C. Richardson.

High Council meeting will be held at 11:00 a. m., Sunday, February 15th.

Stake Officer's meeting will be held at 2:00 p. m., Sunday, February 15th.

Stake Priesthood meeting will be held at 2:00 p. m., Saturday, February 28th.

Appointments for Ward Auxiliary Conferences

Relief Society
Feb. 22d—Franklin and Globe.

Sunday School
Feb. 22d—Thatcher, Central and Pima.

March 22d—Matthews, Eden and Emery.

April 26th—Bryce, Hubbard and Graham.

May 10th—Franklin and Globe.

Young Men's M. I. A.
March 8th—Eden, Pima and Matthews.

March 22d—Central, Bryce, Hubbard and Franklin.

Young Ladies' M. I. A.
April 26th—Artesia, Lebanon, Layton and Thatcher.

May 10th—Graham, Hubbard, Bryce and Eden.

May 24th—Pima, Central, Matthews and Emery.

May 31st—Franklin.

Primary
April 12th—Globe and Miami.

May 10th—Lebanon, Layton and Thatcher.

May 24th—Graham, Hubbard, Bryce and Eden.

May 31st—Pima, Matthews, Central and Franklin.

Religion Class
March 8th—Artesia, Layton and Emery.

April 12th—Pima, Matthews and Franklin.

Notice to Creditors
In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of Ebenezer Bryce, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, George A. Bryce, executor of the estate of Ebenezer Bryce, deceased, to the creditors of said estate, to file their claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to said executor at the office of Stratton & Lynch, in Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said Graham County.

GEORGE A. BRYCE, Executor.

adv-47-5t

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 02955
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona.

First publication Feb. 13-5t

Notice is hereby given that Jacob W. Felshaw, of Bryce, Arizona, who, on December 23, 1908, made homestead entry, No. 02955, for S. 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, Section 3, Township 6 S., Range 26 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 15th day of March, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
J. P. Walker, Simon Matthews, Harry Linley, George Peck, all of Bryce, Arizona.
THOMAS F. WEEBIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 02959
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona.

First publication Jan. 30-5t

Notice is hereby given that Hattie Williams, widow of George W. Williams, deceased, of Thatcher, Arizona, who, on September 8, 1908, made homestead entry, No. 02959, for S. 1/2 NE 1/4, S. 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 32, Township 7 S., Range 26 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 19th day of February, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Joseph Moles, Orval Allen, Abe Bowman and Lorenzo Cutler, all of Thatcher, Arizona.
THOMAS F. WEEBIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 02951
U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona.

First publication Jan. 16-5t

Notice is hereby given that Thomas R. Hamilton, of Safford, Arizona, who, on January 8, 1907, made homestead entry, No. 02951, for W. 1/2 SE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4, Section 32, Township 7 S., Range 26 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, clerk of the Superior Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on the 19th day of February, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Gustavus A. Shirley, Chester R. Jennings, Doyle Lee, John A. Lee, all of Safford, Arizona.
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